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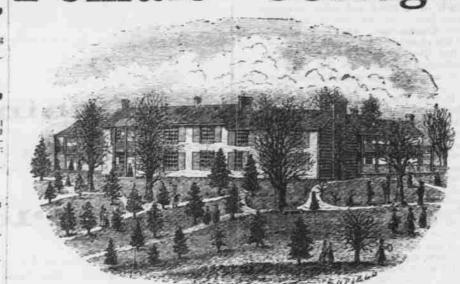
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Paper on their Relation to each other, Read before the National Educational Association, at Louisville, August 15, 1877, by Prof. W. B. Webb, of Culleoka institute, Culleona. Tennessee.

The Preparatory or High school in America, the Grammar school in England and the Gymnasium of Germany occupy the same relative position to spective countries. In connection in their younger students. The reawith a college it is called the preparanavigation and surveying; in Latin, upon which to display specimens of of the school to which he is indebted grammar, reader, Cæsar, Sallust, his handiwork. Every department of for his training and upon whose labor Ovid, Virgil, prose composition, as included in Bingham's or Harkness' grammar and Arnold's composition, through first part, or their equivalent; in Greek, grammar, four books of Xenophou's Analusis and two in Herodotus, and Jones' or Arnold's Greek Prose Composition, or their equiva-lent. A good parallel coursein English will of course be included. The work onstant repetition of those forms and orineiplesan and their repeated application. To enter a preparatory school a boys hould be familiar with the four fundamental rules of arithmetic, and

should read fluently. It is in its dis-cipline and course of study intended for more extended ceurse in these, together with other studies, takes up the work where the preparatory school leaves it, and continues it. Its course of study and discipline are adapted to men. The purpose of this paper is to discuss their relation, whether they should be ombined under one administration and management, or should be entire ly disconnected.

The true principle, it seems to me, s the concentration of university work with a diffusion of preparatory work. The expense of a university makes an endowment an indispensible pre-

requisite. This involves concentraion necessarily and precludes the possibility of establishing one in every county, much less one in every com-The university should not make use of its endowment to compete with the

schools of those friends who furnished the endowment. When they do, tional enterprise, act upon this princithey decapitate the schools by taking ple. Wherever sufficient capital is acm them their best scholars, and re hem of those enthusiastic students, whose character and scholarship impart life and vigor to the teacher and

diligence are daily approximating that standard, whose thirst for knowledge have failed to properly grade their s increased by every draught. These students constitute the nucleus around which the school clusters; the heart, so to speak, of the entire body, and when the university competes with hold an endowment if it is to be used college, let such an institution choose

ducational life. It brings the greatest good to the disconnected. By combining them, the best educational advantages are furnished to the few, and the number who have fair opportunities are ma-terially diminished, while, by disconneeting them, fair opportunities are presented to the many; and this method in no way diminishes the number who have the highest advantages. When the life-giving power of the chool is lost by having its best patronage diverted to the colleges, this lifegiving power is not added to the col-

ubordinate. Their association is with the worst frequently and most prominently on sable to the attainment of the best reexhibition. The good students are at sults in education. work, and are seldom seen by the pub-

and rigidly adhered in.

lic. Hence the model student of the the parent, and he stands in the place rillage schools too often returns from of a parent; hence his is necessarily college to dissappoint the expecta- a family government, which tion of friends, and are representatives divine appointment is a monarchy, of college culture, as it is always said For this family government the that he was in college, not that he was number of pupils is necessarily limited Young men govern themselvesboys need supervision, restraint and

compulsion. The discipline adopted fix upon a definite number of pupils to one is not adapted to the other. In for the school is impossible. The school the teacher stands in toea parentis, addresses his pupils by their given names, and adopts such a code. To crowd great teacher's ability. of laws as you would find in any wellregulated family. In college the professor stands in loco magistratus, adlresses the young men by their surnames, with Mr. prefixed, and adopts at their desks, when they can do betsuch a code of laws as will be found in ter work under a tree, to exact of eva well-governed State. While character is in its formative state it is difficult to determine the relative value of is it natural, nor does it tend to discipline and scholarship. While develop those powers of the mind there can be good discipline and inferior scholarship, there cannot be infe- to a "contemptible deadl evel." rior discipline and good scholarship. The college or university is com-Discipline is then a necessity for boys. Colleges take but slight supervision principles that underlie the governover their students when off of recita- ment of a well regulated State. The tion, and lay no restraints upon them one-man power here is the most with reference to absence from their objectionable of all modes of governpremises—not even at night. The ment: Even in countries which, postudents are never called to account litically, are monarchies, the governfor failure in their lessons, and rarely for failure to attend recitation. They are stimulated to their work only by a ense of duty, a desire to excel, and by the prospective examination and grad- the same form of government has nev ing which are far in the remote future.

trent him as a young man. There is a the greater the benefit derived. "As date when he must assume the togo iron sharpeneth iron, so the face of cirilis, the responsibilities of manhood, and why not upon his anigame into college. The law draws a line beween his majority and minority, a principle perfectly arbitrary, as there are many on each side of the line that ought to be on the other. No safer work, and best for the public to have a concentration of university work, and best for the public to have where the standard is an elevated one, leges is fastened upon them by the

form their tasks, as they are not old equipped by the endowment of some mough to know what is heat for them, be sufficiently stimulated by a sense of duty or a desire for excellence. They must often be detained as delinquents, admonished for shortcomings and misdeeds. Penalties, too, must be inflicted for infraction of law or for the name of the toiling tutors of the name of the toiling tutors of be inflicted for infraction of law or for omission of duty. It is not peaseary that they be severe, but that they be severe, but that they be certain. In college the only penalties are reproof and dismission. In school boys should not be dismissed until astronomic and surroundings; but let it be highly extended the proof, the virtue of restration and reproof, the virtue of restration and severer punishments have been exhausted. When these two classes are combined under

PREPARATORY SCHOOLS AND UNIVER of self-importance, a discast of the that enter their names upon her roll the brain, an enlargement of the head, and call her Alma Mater; but she has which prevailsespecially in institutions | many hundreds of foster chileren who of this character. To see a venerable perhaps never more than hear her professor, whose head is silvered o'er name. Sound this in the car of your fiwith the frosts of many winters, ad- nancial trustee, who divides the exdress a little boy as Mr. and ask him penses of the college by the number of it. I would like, you know, to share kind enough to decline negative is a vice. ture too ludicrous to be dwelt upon in Let the higher institutions of learns the same as yours if you would only

courage the teacher by exhibiting an Molly?" Not only do they fail in discipline, appreciation of his labors, If these inbut they fail in that particular in stitutions have prestige for scholarship was a fumbling, and if he didn't kiss which teachers accomplish their greatart are almost wholly indebted for their her and she didn't kiss him, why est good—they fail to create a thirst elevated standard to the conscientions "Katy did," and the woods are full of the colleges or universities of their re- for knowledge, to excite enthusiasm teacher of the subordinate school. When a young man in college comin their younger students. The reason is obvious: they are overworked petes successfuly for the honors, his visn't it too seen after getting a new tory or sub-college department. In and feel no enthusiasm. To develop scholarship and character represent the best system of education its currigree of excellence, every inducement part of the teacher. When his name and she said, "Not at all. It is proper culum comprises, in mathematics, arithmetic, algebra, geometry and trigonometry, with its application to the teacher. The college is the only area tor, why not, too, mention the name teacher. The college is the only area tor, why not, too, mention the name to the school to which he is judebted.

human labor takes a pride in exposi- is based the elevated standard of the tions of the best results of its skill, and university? the school is no exception to this rule. The military chieftain has his tri-The teacher, as an artist, desires to umphal procession and his laurels; the bring before the public specimens of teacher, who often times exhibits his work. The college is the arena for such exposition, or otherwise his merits must be measured by the opin-more genius in his conflict with igneion of his pupils, who often times do rance and petulance, simply asks re-not appreciate his labors until long cognition at the hands of those who of this school is a thorough drill in the forms and principles of language, and in the formulæ and principles of manufacture of his manhood in the formulæ and principles of manufacture of his manhood in the formulæ and principles of manufacture of his manhood in the formulæ and principles of manufacture of his manhood in the formulæ and principles of manufacture of his manhood in the college at Princeton announced that it would publish the manufacture of the Republicans of Oregon the Republicans of Oregon the Republicans of the Republicans teacher goes to his last resting-place best scholars came, the announcement holds that the Democratic party has feeling that his life was a failure, sent a thrill of joy across intervening acquired a solid South by means that What inducement has he to enter this States to the heart of a teacher in an will not stand the scratiny of justice arena when the judges in the case are inland village, who for more than a or law, and that there is need of a solid themselves competitors with him? It quarter of a century had labored car- North to ward off the dangers that is to the interest of the college that nestly in the school-room and who may be expected to result from a boys prepared there should reap the was a genius in his profession. He southern restoration. He believes the boys. A college or university with a honors, but the judge who awards the had never hoped to have his name so South is willing enough to give the honors is not impartial. He passes much as mentioned at that institution North the offices provided they may judgment upon his own work.

> class. This enabled him at once to account of his letter in opposition to take front rank as a teacher, and it is these claims. He then thus declared its of competing schools. As long as the sub-college is in existence, the teachers of private schools feel that if they do first-class work it will not be the reduced of his State. The harmony and preservation of the thereby increasing his own patronage. Republican party is indispensible to monopoly that paralyzes rather than

> > A Sleepless Man,

ng known directly in ermp that he

made such pretensions, it aroused the

in endeavoring to entrap Saunders, but during the whole time that he

ong enough to eat and change horses,

and plowed in the field with five or

six stalwart men until he wore them

out completely, but never seemed to

During the year 1863, I think it

y work is that those countries which have acquired most reputation by their educational institutions, and have accumulated most experience through centuries of successful educato five minutes in length. cumulated for school purposes, the A Herrible, Improbable Story university cuts off its preparatory partment and elevates the standard of Mayfield (Ky) Dem- crat, Aug. 16.7 cholarship necessary for admission Several weeks are an eleven-yearinto its lowest class. Our public

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The temptation is to give preference

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should be removed, and an impartial tribunal established to decide the mer-

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old daughter of a Ballard county farschools in the cities and large towns low ambitious boys with an elevated have acted upon this principle, and mer mysteriously disappeared, and all ideal standard of excellence, who by they have failed to secure the patron- efforts to find out her whereabouts have failed to properly grade their disappearance, when a neighboring schools. What must those colleges do that cow, heard the eries as of some one in depend for the salaries of their profess distress, and following the direction of right to go there, live and have our sors almost solely upon the income the sound found the lost child in a from tuition fees, and cannot afford dense thicket with both hands tied privilege that we give them when the school, and these boys enter it, to cut off any paying patronage? If together with a rope, one end of which the energy and life of the schools are from the arguments deduced and from was fied to a tree. Near the tree were gone. The friends of education should the accumulated experience of men, some old clothes upon which the child protest against the colleges competing with their school, and should withthat condition, when she told him that s a boomerang to destroy their own between being a college or a school, a negro man had brought her there, and let it live or die on the principle of the survival of the fittest. The mand that he came every night and of the survival of the fittest. The in-terest of a few professors and one lo-drink, and that he violated her person. Republican party: We ask the queand the preparatory school be entirely cality must yield to the great cause of The farmer told the child to remain tion with real concern. There education at large. As the medical quiet until night and he would pro- traces of a plot. The very first thing profession attempt to so educate the people in regard to the possibilities and limits of the science of medicine. cure assistance, and when the negrethat they will no longer be influenced the girl was asked what must be done Southern policy of the Democrats; and by those quacks who pretend to ac- with him she said to "skin him alive," in the very first speech that Judge complish impossibilities, and as min- which they proceeded to do immediate. West, the Republican candidate for isters of the gospel attempt to so edu-cate the people in Bible doctrines that his head and stripped the skin to his ates the resumption act of a Bepublis

sies, so should teachers of preparatory schools, and professors of real colleges lege; because the boys join the subordinate department, and their influence is not felt as a factor, because they are ters as will force institutions of learning to conform to those methods and lement of the college, because they those standards which the experience are the public characters who are most of mankind has shown to be indispen-

The teacher's authority is delegated by -otherwise the one man power is an impossibility. Just as in families, some men have the capacity to gov ern larger ones than others; so as to

number must be proportioned to the To crowd great multitudes of children together and require of them that perfect order which is described by its advocates by the term clockwork, and to require of them to sit ery one at the same time the same motions, is not like a family, nor

Many stories of the untiring energy posed of men and governed upon the sleepless man they ever met. ment of their college and universities is vested in trustees and a faculty. As in political economy, the number of people that can be well included under er been definitely determined, so the They select their own boarding-houses number of men that may successfully and change them at will. When a attend a university admits of indefinite young man is ready to enter college, expansion. The truth is that with he is a young man; his parents, his the maturity of character and that expansion. The truth is that with ompanions treat him as young man, scholarship which fit a man to attend and Professors in college must likewise a university, the larger the number

Key's New England Speech. A Washington telegram to the Cinmuati Enquirer of Sunday says; line, it seems to me, could be adopted a diffusion of preparatory work. The Judge Key's four-line than the beginning of a college course, preparatory department of many colerring Southern brethren. The anivery conditions of their life and versal comment is that it was uncalled growth, and to ask them to give it up for, in bad taste, and not at all calcu-Boys ready to begin a preparatory course are too tender in age to be allowed such large liberties. They need supervision in school and out of school. They must be required to personnel. They must be required to personnel of some school. They must be required to personnel of some school and out of school and out of school. They must be required to personnel of some school and out of schoo munificent founder? That a grave reand at that age they can not always sponsibility rests upon such an insti-be sufficiently stimulated by a sense of duty or a desire for expellence. Sponsibility rests upon such an insti-sched him knew that he would be as putty in the hands of his Cabinet asso-bave the boldness to lead in the right like foods, and get drunk like the people up of New England hospitality.

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Chleago Times. The sweetest oratory that I have listened to on the cliff or in the forest dream which had overtaken me as sat leaning against the base of a monster tree. They were upon the op-posite side, and I could not run. Said she: "Since we were children I felt a deep interest and friendliness in your welfare, and since I came to know the blessedness of hope. I have longed to share my joy with you. Will you give your heart to your Maker."

He said: "I can't do that Molly.

would if I could, because you wish it. I gave it to you last winter during our meetings of the 'Jan d' esprit," and if you really don't want to keep it yourself, if you really don't in the least care for it, you may give it to whoever you a bless duess of hope very likely much the presence of this learned body, and ing foster the preparatory schools, not should be reserved for Harper's Week-She said, "O, John!" and then there

them. Then she said, "You must and I am very happy."

He said: "Not as happy. if I had given my heart to the Lord, are you?" He asked his question in a

pathetic and apprehensive tone, and she replied, "It is all the same, John. I'll see that the good Lard gets it at Then they went off to inform pa, and get an earthly blessing from him for John is in the leather business, and

very prosperous. Cenat r Morton Speaks.

of learning. He directed the minds of have the measures. Those measures his pupils to the merits of this college, consist of the demand that will certainand he had the gratification to see his by be made for a repayment of the name announced in their catalogue in losses incurred during the war. He connection with more than one young says the South "would not now touch man who was the test scholar in his Mr. Tilden with a forty foot pole," on

recognized. In other words there is a and theirs. The principle of correlat- the prosperity and safety of the Union. ing successful schools and granting This is now more so than it ever was scholarships to them-established by before. There is a solid South against that noblest of fraternal benefactions, us. How long it will last I do not Vanderbilt University-has infused know, but understand this is the situanew life and new vigor into the schools | tion to-day, and that the South expect of many States,

A discussion followed the lecture of the approaching political contest. to wield the sentiment as one voice in Mr. Webb, a large number of the is important, therefore, that the North members occupying the floor in rapid should stand together; that you should succession, with speeches from three stand together in the great struggle, that we shall not less all that we have won. We must preserve the constitutional amendments; we must preserve the fruits of the war; all our interest both Democrats and Republicans, are alike. The South-we have forgiven They cost half a million of lives and six thousand millions of dollars by their crimes. There is scarcely were fruitless until ten days after her a family in all this land in which there is not a vacant chair. But we forgave farmer, while out searching for his them all that. All we ask is that they shall be good citizens. We claim the

be satisfied, and with nothing else."

Are the Ofilo Republicans cogagod came back that night they would Presidency was to repudiate the Southsecure him, which they did. When ern policy of his party and adopt the they will not be led astray by the heterodox, who teach damnable here-minutes after the operation. We may remark that the repeal of the resumption act is one of the the Obio canyass, the Democrats and Parkersburg Cor. Cluciunati Commercial. those Republicans for whom the Cin-The man who does not sleep, Sauncinnati Gazette speaks arging it, while lers, now resides near this place. those Republicans for whom the Ciu-Some time in 1861 or 1862 Saunders cinnati Commercial speaks, oppose it, enlisted in the Fourth Virginia volunand insist on the rigorous execution of teers. For several years he had not the measure. Judge West takes sides slept at all, so he said. But it become with the Democrats and the Gazella

Republicans. He says: "The time fixed for resumption i curiosity of many of the men and but little more than a year distant. offices, they set a watch upon him, do not perceive how it is perible for I am told by a colonel that he and the authorities to consumn others lost a great many nights' sleep tion on the day fixed without the most serious consequences, unless the opporemained a member of the Fourth he which is not at all probable. was never caught napping. He stood This is true, but it is not Republican; guard night after night and week after it is the doctrine of the Ohio Democrats, week, paid by sleepy-headed soldiers and is a fresh proof of the apitude of take their turns, but never was leading Ohio Republicans for getting aught asleep. He hauled coal several off their own platform on that of their weeks in succession, only stopping opponents.

Josh Billings on Pets.

Pets ov all kinds are a noesance was, he went to Philadelphia and was Pet a mule with a klub and he iz pashexamined by the leading physicians of unt, but pet him with outs and he will the country. They sat up with him in relays of five, night and day, and kept an almost constant stream of conversation with him, and at the terminare tyrants, and a pet deakon wants ation of twenty-nine days discharged as much watching as a pet coon duz. him with a certificate, but could give Pet ideas are quite risky, and pet opinno explanation of this freak of nature. yuns, like second-hand clothing, are worth just what you can git fur them, and activity of this man are told, and A pet wife soon gits to be captain, and all agree who know him that this anti- a pet haby rules the whole household. pode of Rip Van Winkle is the most A pet horse learns to be frisky, and a pet servant bekums cunning at the ex-Mr. Saunders is now 56 years of age pense of his honesty. Pet triends are and says he has not not known what the hardest to keep, and when yu do sleep is for eighteen years. He him- loze them they turn from hunny to self can not account for it, as he says gaul, and pets ov all kinds are fastidithe change in his physical organizations. A pet crow can't tell what his tion occurred within three days, and next mischief will be, and ov all pets that he was never sick in his life, and none are more nasty and cross than a took medicine but once, and that was pet parrot. Nothing in this world when he had a catarrh, about three wuz made to require it. Pet hobbies years ago. He is a hale, hearty man, are plenty and eazy to mount, but are and bids fair to live many years yet. hard to stick to, and the ditches all He is conscientiously opposed to mak-along life's turnpike are filled with ng a display of himself, or no doubt he the riders. A pet lam always makes ould long ago have been before the a kross ram, and what has been once public as one of the human curiosities petted can never be happy agin without it. Live pets ov all kinds are sure to be lazy, and from being cassy is but a short step, and is shure to be taken. Too mutch petting brings luxuriance fast, and then ruin. I have even seen gardin sass petted so much that it all ran to top and to vines. Pet There is a good deal of feeling here kats are, fust, an insult to the kat, and next are an insult to the party Judge Key's four-line speech at Ben-that pets them; and there is no more boarding and toteing a bedbugg.

eatch Southern applause. It shows, folks will be glad for him to come, too, that whoever induced Hayes to But if he is expecting these people to ciates. It is considered as a remarka- North when a President comes along, ble reconstruction through two doses | he will be disappointed—that's all. -Morristown Guzette.

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